

WASHINGTON COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

2012 ANNUAL REPORT FOR THE VILLAGE OF RICHFIELD

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OPERATION DIVISION ACTIVITY FOR THE VILLAGE OF RICHFIELD

The Washington County Sheriff's Office serves the citizens of the Village of Richfield and is the primary law enforcement jurisdiction for the Village. The Sheriff's Office provides patrol services to the Village residents, and includes additional resources such as an investigative division, arson investigators, accident reconstruction team, tactical unit, commercial vehicle inspectors, dive team, K9 unit and drug unit. The Sheriff's Office also provides 24-hour law enforcement, fire and EMS dispatching services to the Village of Richfield. We also provide the Village with contract police services beyond our routine staffing.

Below please find some basic information on the activity within the Village of Richfield by the Operations Division of the Washington County Sheriff's Office. You can find a much more comprehensive annual report for all Sheriff's Office activity on our website:

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INCIDENT STATISTICS AND INFORMATION

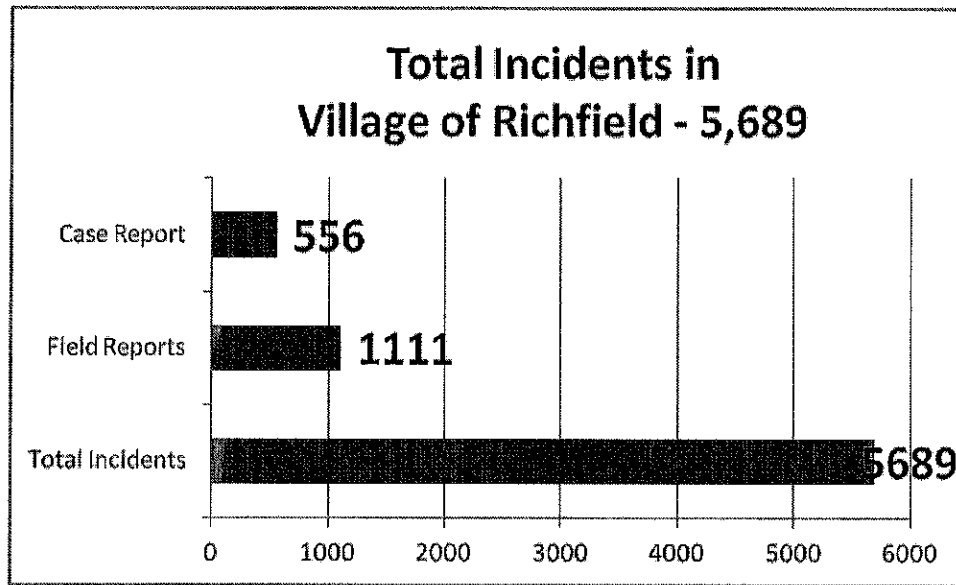
In 2012, the Sheriff's Office handled a total of 38,307 incidents in the county; 5,689 incidents were in the Village of Richfield. Incidents are defined as calls received by the Sheriff's Office which required a response from a deputy and calls which are self-initiated by deputies. By comparison, in 2011 the Sheriff's Office handled 3,956 incidents in the Village of Richfield. In 2010 the Sheriff's Office handled 3,478 incidents.

Incidents represent the widest range of activity engaged in by deputies. When any call is received by the Sheriff's Office that requires a response from a deputy, the information about the call is entered into our computer system. This data entry is called an "incident". Incidents can be created when a dispatcher enters the information into our computer system, or when they are entered by a deputy into a squad computer when he/she initiates activity in the field. An incident can be everything from a serious criminal investigation to a traffic stop and most every activity in between.

A Case Report is a written police report that is filed by a deputy. Case reports always start as an incident. If a deputy responds to an incident and a written police report is required, a case report is started. For example, all criminal cases are recorded in a case report. The deputy dictates the narrative portion of the case report, a program assistant types the report and the report is filed in the front office.

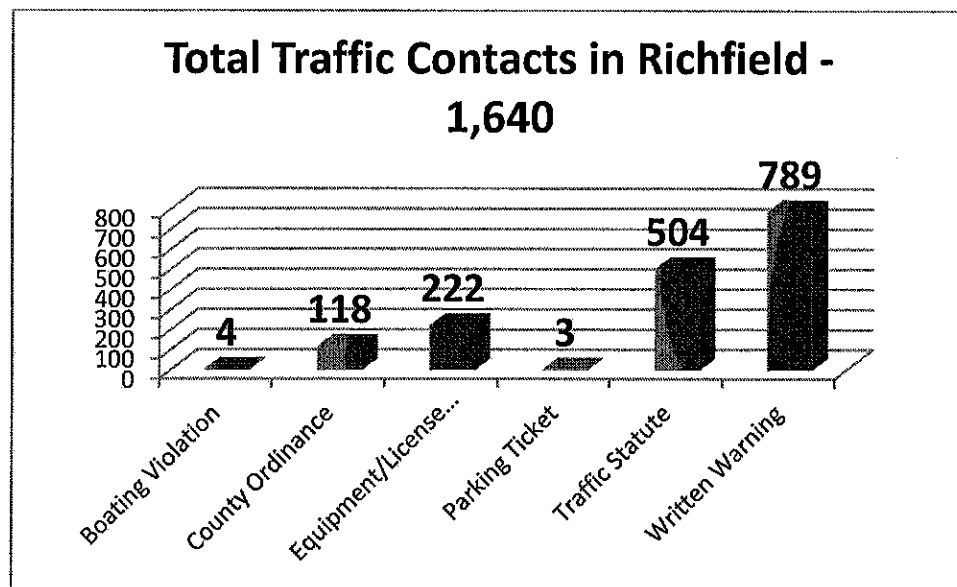
A Field Report also starts as an incident, however it is a more abbreviated electronic report created by the deputy using their squad computer. A field report is used when an incident should have some documentation, but does not rise to the level of requiring a case report. Some examples would be incidents involving false 911 calls, property checks, or calls about suspicious vehicles or incidents that prove to be unfounded.

The following sections will break down the types and numbers of incidents, case reports and field reports completed by the Operations Division in 2012. The total number of incidents includes all case reports and field reports.



TRAFFIC SAFETY & ENFORCEMENT

Traffic safety remains a high priority for the Sheriff's Office. Through high visibility patrol and the enforcement of traffic laws, patrol deputies assigned to the Operations Division strive to reduce accidents, injuries and motor vehicle related deaths on our highways. **During 2012 there were 1,640 traffic contacts made by deputies on patrol in the Village of Richfield.** Below is a break down of the types of contacts by category:



ACCIDENTS

Below are the 2011 and 2012 accidents totals that were written by the Sheriff's Office in the Village of Richfield. The injury accidents are counted under the total reportable accidents. Injury accidents also reflect the number of accidents involving injury, not the number of injured individuals.

2011 Total	Injury Accidents	Reportable	Non-Reportable
249	48	224	25

2012 Total	Injury Accidents	Reportable	Non-Reportable
229	39	200	29

In addition to the injury accident total, there were two fatalities resulting from motor vehicle accidents in the Village of Richfield in 2012.

ACCIDENTS COUNTY WIDE:

	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012
FATALITIES (# of deceased persons)	7	14	16	12	19
PERSONAL INJURY ACCIDENTS	330	295	261	301	378
PERSONS INJURED	436	410	371	441	520
PROPERTY DAMAGE ACCIDENTS					
REPORTABLE (+\$1000.00)	1,329	1177	1142	1429	1175
NON REPORTABLE	477	383	330	231	234
TOTAL ACCIDENTS	1,806	1,560	1,472	1,660	1787

HIT & RUN ACCIDENTS	183	119	112	117	179
OWI (INVOLVING ACCIDENTS)	80	64	55	73	63
OWI (NOT INVOLVING ACCIDENTS)	180	217	203*	139	161

OWI ENFORCEMENT

In 2012 the Sheriff's Office made 223 total operating while intoxicated arrests in Washington County; 32 of those arrests were in the Village of Richfield. In comparison, in 2011 there were a total of 35 arrests in Richfield. In 2010 there were 42 arrests. In Wisconsin, a person is first arrested and issued a citation for OWI. A test for blood alcohol level is then conducted, usually via an Intoximeter or blood test. If the test indicates a blood alcohol level over the legal limit, a citation is issued for Operating with a Prohibited Alcohol Concentration

OWI GRANT

In 2012 the Sheriff's Office received a \$30,000 grant from the Wisconsin Department of Transportation Bureau of Transportation Safety for OWI enforcement. During Grant deployment a total of 23 citations were issued for OWI or Prohibited Blood Alcohol violations during 200 hours by officers. In total, **323 citations and warnings were issued for traffic offenses** throughout the county during grant deployment.

As a result of these deployments, in addition to traffic related contacts, 2 arrests were made for drug offenses and one arrest warrant was served.

COMMERCIAL MOTOR VEHICLE ENFORCEMENT

Two patrol deputies, Mike Hennes and Justin Jilling, are trained and certified as Level I Truck Inspectors and are affiliated with the Commercial Vehicle Safety Alliance, an international not-for-profit organization comprised of local, state and federal motor carrier safety officials and industry representatives from the United States, Canada, and Mexico. These deputies are specially trained to enforce laws pertaining to commercial motor vehicle safety and operation. In 2012, these two deputies spent nearly 109 hours conducting 98 commercial motor vehicle inspections. **478 violations** were identified as a result of these inspections, with a total of 33 vehicles and 14 operators being ordered out of service. In addition, **19 citations** were issued to the operators or owners of these commercial motor vehicles throughout Washington County. These inspectors also serve as an educational resource for area businesses, providing presentations and being an information resource.

CONTACTS BY TOWNSHIPS & MUNICIPALITIES

Sheriff's deputies contact thousands of people during the course of their activities. The names of the people that were contacted in accident investigations, incidents and case reports are entered into our computer system. The jurisdiction of the Sheriff's Office covers all of Washington County and the Sheriff's Office is dedicated to providing the best service possible to all county residents. As these figures demonstrate, town, village and city residents alike directly benefit from the services which the Sheriff's Office provides on a daily basis.

Please note that because some people have had multiple contacts with the Sheriff's Office; their names may appear multiple times when totaling these different areas of contact. For that reason, these figures represent the number of times that names are connected to case reports, accident reports and traffic contacts. They do not represent the total number of individual persons contacted in a year. In fact, deputies have contact with far more people than indicated in these figures because many people never have need to be listed in a report.

Of the 15,962 times where names were listed in Sheriff's Office **case reports** in 2012, 37% resided in the cities and villages within Washington County, while 37% resided in the townships. Approximately 26% of names resided outside of Washington County.

During the course of **accident investigations**, the Sheriff's Office named 2,765 subjects. Of those subjects, 36% resided in the cities and villages within Washington County, while 28% resided in the townships. Approximately 36% resided outside of Washington County.

There were a total of 10,214 traffic contacts in 2012. At the time of compiling data for the annual report, data for the jurisdiction of the drivers was only available for 8,111 stops. Of the 8,111 **traffic citations** issued in 2012, 37% were issued to residents of cities and villages within Washington County, while 22% resided in the townships. Approximately 41% of persons resided outside of Washington County.

Contacts by Townships and Municipalities

Residency	Case Contacts	%	Accident Contacts	%	All Traffic Contacts*	%
City of Hartford	625	4%	199	7%	581	6%
City of West Bend	2176	14%	310	11%	1505	15%
Out of County	4181	26%	1004	36%	4154	41%
Town of Addison	651	4%	96	3%	307	3%
Town of Barton	444	3%	66	2%	168	2%
Town of Erin	488	3%	96	3%	204	3%
Town of Farmington	596	4%	91	3%	257	3%
Town of Germantown	71	>1%	3	0%	5	>1%
Town of Hartford	494	3%	68	2%	158	2%
Town of Jackson	423	3%	55	2%	179	2%
Town of Kewaskum	229	1%	33	1%	86	1%
Town of Polk	979	6%	73	3%	231	2%
Town of Trenton	601	4%	78	3%	212	2%
Town of Wayne	346	2%	48	2%	143	1%
Town of West Bend	645	4%	67	2%	231	2%
Village of Germantown	357	2%	60	2%	241	3%
Village of Jackson	301	2%	78	3%	321	3%
Village of Kewaskum	289	2%	61	2%	273	3%
Village of Newburg	223	1%	21	1%	57	1%
Village of Richfield	1431	9%	182	7%	623	6%
Village of Slinger	412	3%	76	3%	275	3%
Total	15962		2765		10214	
Cities		18%		18%		20%
Villages		19%		17%		17%
Towns		37%		28%		22%
Out of County		26%		36%		41%

*There were a total of 10,214 traffic contacts in 2012. At the time of compiling data for the annual report, data for the jurisdiction of the drivers was only available for 8111 stops. The above table only includes traffic contacts in which the driver of the contacts jurisdiction was known

SEX OFFENDER NOTIFICATION & COMPLIANCE

Wisconsin State Statutes require people convicted of certain sex offenses to register with the Wisconsin Sex Offender Registry, a division of the Department of Corrections. Sex offender registrants are required to provide the state their current address, employment information, and

school information, if they are attending school. At any one time there are approximately 51 individuals registered as sex offenders who reside in townships and villages in Washington County, where the Sheriff's Office provides exclusive 24-hour law enforcement protection.

Even though there is no requirement for sex offenders to register with local Police and Sheriff's Office's by statute, the Washington County Sheriff's Office has made it our practice to do routine compliance checks on registered sex offenders living in areas which we serve.

In 2012 the Washington County Sheriff's Office conducted 148 sex offender compliance checks. No offenders were found to be in violation of their sex offender registry requirements. It is our belief that the lack of violations can be attributed to the fact that the Sheriff's Office has been conducting random compliance checks for several years and offenders have been educated on keeping their information up to date. Also, offenders are now aware we conduct random checks and realize that failing to keep their Sex Offender Registry updated with their current information may lead to criminal charges for noncompliance.

Specifically in the Village of Richfield, the Sheriff's Office conducted 12 home visits at three different addresses in 2012.

CITIZEN TRAFFIC COMPLAINTS

To be responsive to specific traffic-related complaints reported to the Sheriff's Office by concerned citizens, supervisors log and assign special traffic assignments to deputies. These assignments are conducted as time permits and are in addition to the normal traffic patrol deputies engage in on a daily basis. In 2012, 196 special traffic assignments were conducted based on citizen concerns. In 2011, 160 special traffic assignments were conducted throughout the county.

These assignments addressed speeding, stop sign violations, illegal passing, overweight vehicles, vehicle disorderly conduct and racing vehicles and were conducted on U.S. state, county and town highways.

CANINE UNIT:

The current canine program began in 2009 and continues to be an asset for Washington County. The canine unit is available to any law enforcement agency in Washington County and has participated in patrol and drug unit operations, search warrants, local school searches and other operations. The canine unit has proven to be an invaluable resource for local law enforcement efforts in the county. In 2012 the canine unit assisted every other law enforcement agency in Washington County. Outside of Washington County the canine unit assisted, Mequon Police Department, Lomira Police Department, Brown Deer Police Department and the Department of Corrections- Kettle Moraine Correctional Facility. In many cases, the mere presence of the canine at the scene has resulted in subjects admitting their involvement in drug activity.

The canine unit was deployed 168 times in 2012. As a result of canine unit activity, 29 subjects were arrested with felony criminal offenses, 7 were arrested with misdemeanor criminal offenses and 21 were issued county ordinance citations in 2012.

The Canine Unit assisted the MJDEG with four general interdiction assignments. Additionally there were 11 directed assignments which were based upon actionable intelligence of specific

vehicles/persons that were highly successful. These directed assignments resulted in 7 felony criminal arrests.

The canine unit was also involved in public relations work for the department, making appearances at the Fifth Avenue United Methodist Church Lunch Group and the Allenton Lions Club.

The canine program continues to be a very successful program. Deputy Chris Killey is commended for his dedication to the program and his management of the canine unit.

2012 CANINE ACTIVITY			
Contraband Seized		Canine Deployments	
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Marijuana	13 Plants	Building Searches	12
Heroin	11 Arrests	School Searches	9
Cocaine	29.1 Grams	Jail Searches	57
		Vehicle Sniffs	
Narcotic Pills	231 Tablets	(Auto/Truck/Semi)	9
		Targeted Drug Unit	
Drug Paraphernalia	153 Pieces	Interdictions	15
US Currency	\$4153.83		

MULTI-JURISDICTIONAL DRUG ENFORCEMENT GROUP

The Washington County Multi-Jurisdictional Drug Enforcement Group (Drug Unit) operates as a task force and represents the primary local effort in Washington County to curb illegal drug sales, cultivation, and distribution. Unlike other police efforts in Washington County, the Drug Unit's main goal is to target drug distribution and production. The Drug Unit has secondary roles such as gathering, processing, and disseminating drug intelligence, coordinating drug enforcement with other agencies, and has a role in educating the community about current drug threats.

The Drug Unit has a full time staff of one supervisor, two detectives, three patrol officers assigned as investigators, several undercover officers, one part-time patrol officer investigator, and one program assistant. The Drug Unit works out of the Washington County Sheriff's Office, which provides most of the staff and the supervisor. All full-time police departments in Washington County provide patrol officers for the task force or other resources.

As a result of drug unit activity in 2012, **243 charges were requested against 116 offenders.** Approximately 72% of those charges were felonies, many for delivery of a controlled substance to an undercover officer.

Drug Unit Charges for Delivery and Manufacturing

Drug	Number of Adult Arrests				
	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012
MDMA/Ecstasy	6	0	1	1	2
Marijuana - THC	26	37	51	15	25
Cocaine Powder	6	5	9	6	0
"Crack" Cocaine	3	2	3	0	0
LSD	0	0	0	4	1
Psilocybin Mushrooms	0	0	0	0	1
Heroin	3	9	6	23	5
Oxycodone/Oxycontin	11	22	17	12	14
Other Opiates*	6	13	5	1	0
Diverted Pharmaceuticals	0	3	6	5	4
Other Drugs (Includes synthetic marijuana)	0	0	0	10	2
Total	61	90	99	77	54

Drug Unit Charges for Possession (includes Possession with Intent to Deliver)

Drug	Number of Adult Arrests				
	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012
MDMA/Ecstasy	2	0	0	0	2
Marijuana - THC	46	23	37	20	39
Cocaine Powder	4	1	1	2	0
"Crack" Cocaine	0	0	0	0	2
LSD	0	0	0	4	0
Psilocybin Mushrooms	1	1	1	1	1
Heroin	3	2	9	17	6
Oxycodone/Oxycontin	1	6	42	12	27
Other Opiates*	1	18	38	7	11
Diverted Pharmaceuticals	8	18	15	6	15
Other Drugs (Includes various synthetics and synthetic cannabinoids)	5	0	0	5	7
Total	71	69	143	74	110

* "Other opiate" drugs such include oxymorphone, hydrocodone, methadone, morphine, fentanyl, codeine, Suboxone, and other narcotics.

Prescription fraud and doctor shopping cases are counted as arrests for possession as attempting to obtain by fraud is covered by the possession statutes although most of those charges are

felonies. In addition to these delivery/cultivation and drug possession arrests, the drug unit requested the following charges issued resulting from their investigations:

23 counts	Possession of Drug Paraphernalia	6 counts	Bail Jumping
14 counts	Keeper of a Drug House	3 counts	Intimidation of a witness
3 counts	Forgery (prescription)	12 counts	Identity Theft
3 counts	Possession within 1000 Feet of Park or School	3 counts	Theft
1 count	Disorderly Conduct	1 count	Homicide-Drug Related

The drug unit doesn't often deal with juveniles, but in 2012 the following charges were requested on juvenile offenders:

1 count	Delivery of Schedule 3 Narcotic	1 count	Possession of Drug Paraphernalia
3 counts	Delivery of Schedule 2 Controlled Substance	3 counts	Possession within 1000 Feet of Park or School
3 counts	Delivery of Marijuana		

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ADULT BOOKINGS BY AGENCY AND RESIDENCE - 2012													
Inmate's Residence	Arrests from Sheriff's Office	Arrests from West Bend PD	Arrests from Hartford PD	Arrests from Germantown PD	Arrests from Jackson PD	Arrests from Kewaskum PD	Arrests from Slinger PD	Arrests from WSP	Arrests from Trenton PD	Arrests from DNR	Arrests from Newburg PD	Total Bookings from Arrests	%
Out of County	369	213	73	145	61	26	49	9	1	1	0	947	31.3%
City of Hartford	74	37	149	2	3	2	9	1	0	0	0	277	9.2%
City of West Bend	170	665	19	7	28	16	4	2	0	0	0	911	30.1%
Town of Addison	37	14	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	54	1.8%
Town of Barton	19	7	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	29	1.0%
Town of Erin	11	7	5	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	26	0.9%
Town of Farmington	16	20	0	0	0	4	0	1	0	0	0	41	1.4%
Town of Germantown	0	1	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0.1%
Town of Hartford	21	8	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	34	1.1%
Town of Jackson	21	13	0	3	2	2	1	1	0	0	0	43	1.4%
Town of Kewaskum	8	5	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	15	0.5%
Town of Polk	21	12	0	2	2	2	2	0	0	0	0	41	1.4%
Town of Trenton	25	29	1	0	2	2	0	1	2	0	1	63	2.0%
Town of Wayne	11	12	0	0	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	31	1.0%
Town of West Bend	30	20	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	52	1.7%
Village of Germantown	42	11	3	50	5	1	1	0	0	0	0	113	3.7%
Village of Jackson	19	23	1	0	46	2	2	1	0	0	0	94	3.1%
Village of Kewaskum	14	14	0	0	2	43	2	0	1	0	0	76	2.5%
Village of Newburg	19	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	27	0.9%
Village of Richfield	48	19	3	3	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	75	2.5%
Village of Slinger	14	10	12	1	5	1	31	0	0	0	0	74	2.4%
Total	989	1145	273	217	159	111	108	16	5	1	3	3027	100.0%

TOTAL ADULT BOOKINGS by INMATE RESIDENCE, POPULATION and LEVY CONTRIBUTION 2012

Inmate's Residence	Total Bookings from Arrests	%	Total Bookings from Court	%	Total Bookings	% Total Bookings	% of Total County Resident Bookings	% of County Population	Population 2011 US Census	Bookings per Resident	% Levy by EQ Value
Out of County	947	31.3%	654	50.62%	1,601	37.07%	0.00%	0.00%	-	-	0.00%
City of Hartford	277	9.2%	116	8.98%	393	9.10%	14.46%	10.78%	14,253	0.028	7.46%
City of West Bend	911	30.1%	211	16.33%	1,122	25.98%	41.28%	23.62%	31,227	0.036	17.29%
Village of Germantown	113	3.7%	62	4.80%	175	4.05%	6.28%	14.96%	19,772	0.009	16.43%
Village of Jackson	94	3.1%	28	2.17%	122	2.82%	4.38%	5.11%	6,761	0.018	3.92%
Village of Kewaskum	76	2.5%	16	1.24%	92	2.13%	3.30%	3.03%	4,006	0.023	2.03%
Village of Newburg	27	0.9%	12	0.93%	39	0.90%	1.40%	0.87%	1,154	0.034	0.56%
Village of Richfield	75	2.5%	22	1.70%	97	2.25%	3.48%	8.57%	11,324	0.009	12.05%
Village of Slinger	74	2.4%	31	2.40%	105	2.43%	3.77%	3.85%	5,092	0.021	2.54%
Town of Addison	54	1.8%	24	1.86%	78	1.81%	2.80%	2.64%	3,487	0.022	2.51%
Town of Barton	29	1.0%	9	0.70%	38	0.88%	1.36%	2.00%	2,641	0.014	2.41%
Town of Erin	26	0.9%	8	0.62%	34	0.79%	1.22%	2.84%	3,755	0.009	4.59%
Town of Farmington	41	1.4%	8	0.62%	49	1.13%	1.76%	3.04%	4,024	0.012	3.24%
Town of Germantown	4	0.1%	1	0.08%	5	0.12%	0.18%	0.19%	253	0.020	0.19%
Town of Hartford	34	1.1%	13	1.01%	47	1.09%	1.69%	2.73%	3,604	0.013	3.06%
Town of Jackson	43	1.4%	15	1.16%	58	1.34%	2.08%	3.16%	4,173	0.014	3.73%
Town of Kewaskum	15	0.5%	2	0.15%	17	0.39%	0.61%	0.80%	1,054	0.016	0.99%
Town of Polk	41	1.4%	22	1.70%	63	1.46%	2.26%	2.98%	3,941	0.016	4.60%
Town of Trenton	63	2.1%	18	1.39%	81	1.88%	2.91%	3.58%	4,735	0.017	3.81%
Town of Wayne	31	1.0%	8	0.62%	39	0.90%	1.40%	1.64%	2,174	0.018	1.60%
Town of West Bend	52	1.7%	12	0.93%	64	1.48%	2.30%	3.61%	4,776	0.013	6.97%
Total	3,027		1,292		4,319				132,206		